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In re Application of: Shannon V. Davidson, et al.

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Title: *SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TOPOLOGY-AWARE JOB
SCHEDULING AND BACKFILLING IN AN HPC ENVIRONMENT*

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Dear Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants respectfully request, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, that the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form be considered and cited in the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of all references are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

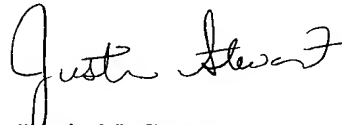
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g) and (h), Applicants make no representation that these documents qualify as prior art or that these documents are material to patentability of the present application or that a search has been made.

REMARKS

The first Office Action after a Request for Continued Examination has been received by Applicants in the above-identified patent application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$180.00 fee and to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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